

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Joseph A. Zupanick                          Art Unit : 3672  
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          CLUTCH ASSEMBLY

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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO ACTION OF AUGUST 16, 2006

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: